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Re: U.S. Issued Utility Patent  
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For: **Methods of Purifying Recombinant Human Erythropoietin from Cell Culture Supernatants**  
Inventors: Carcagno *et al.*  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:


1. Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322;
2. Certificate of Correction (PTO/SB/44); and
3. One (1) return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 be issued for the above-captioned United States Patent. This Certificate of Correction is being requested due to mistakes which appear in the printed patent. These mistakes were made by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Specifically, the printed patent contains the following errors for which a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested:

In column 14, claim 15, delete "method of claim 1" and insert "method of claim 11".

In column 14, claim 17, delete "method of claim 1" and insert "method of claim 11".

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In column 14, claim 19, delete "method of claim 1" and insert "method of claim 11".

Support for these changes can be found in Applicants' Amendment and Reply filed May 16, 2005.

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**Remarks**

The above-noted corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and issuance thereof is respectfully requested.

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In column 14, claim 15, delete "method of claim 1" and insert "method of claim 11".

In column 14, claim 17, delete "method of claim 1" and insert "method of claim 11".

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